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(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: Takashi Hirakawa et al.

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AND THREE-PANEL LIQUID-CRYSTAL

DISPLAY PROJECTOR

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Examiner: L. Y. Lao

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the representative named below be advised of the status of the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive a response to our Notice of Appeal and Request for Pre-Appeal Brief Panel Review filed June 4, 2008.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0013, under Order No. SON-3011 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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